<u>REMARKS</u>

The Examiner has indicated that claims 142, 144, 145, and 155-157 have allowable subject matter and would be allowed if rewritten in independent form. Claims 138, and 141 are canceled. Claim 142 is amended to incorporate all the limitations of the base claim and intervening claim. Rejected claims have been made to depend upon allowed amended claim 142. Applicant reserves his rights to file a continuation application. In view of the above amendments, all other rejections are now moot. Based on the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejection of claims and allowance of this application.

AUTHORIZATION

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees which may be required for consideration of this Amendment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 4303-4104US6. In the event that an extension of time is required, or which may be required in addition to that requested in a petition for an extension of time, the Commissioner is requested to grant a petition for that extension of time which is required to make this response timely and is hereby authorized to charge any fee for such an extension of time or credit any overpayment for an extension of time to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 4303-4104US6.

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